

VERIFICATION OF CONFORMITY PROGRAMME KINGDOM OF MOROCCO



1. Regulation

Authority:	Ministry of Industry, Trade, Green and Digital Economy (Ministère de l'Industrie, du Commerce, de l'Economie Verte et Numérique - MICEVN).
Notification:	Convention for the provision of services of verification of conformity of industrial products imported into Morocco, signed on 16/12/2019, pursuant to Law No. 24-09 relating to the safety of products and services supplemented by Decree No. 02-212-502 and Order No. 3873-13.
Starting date :	1 st February 2020
Appointed company(ies) :	Bureau Veritas and other mandated conformity assessment bodies
Scope of the regulation :	Conformity assessment of goods imported into Morocco.
Assessment based on :	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Documentary review ▪ Control testing (if necessary) ▪ Physical inspection ▪ Facilitation procedures ▪ Conclusion of the assessment
Remark :	Conformity Assessment will be carried out in the country of export except for products that will be controlled on arrival at the border in Morocco. (List of products and products subject to control in Morocco on: https://verigates.bureauveritas.com).

2. Products subject


Products subject:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Electrical appliances 2. Other electrical products 3. Construction materials (pipes, sheets, sanitary equipment, insulation, wooden panels, cement, windows, glass...) 4. Gas/oil appliances 5. Toys, parks and baskets for children, baby diapers, furniture 6. Textiles, shoes, leather, clothing 7. Chemical products (detergents, paint, bitumen, matches, lighters ...), 8. Plastic products (plastic packaging/bags...), 9. Products in contact with food (kitchenware, crockery...), 10. Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), helmets for motorcycles, 11. Automotive spare parts (tyres, automotive parts) (List of products on: https://verigates.bureauveritas.com)
Second-hand goods :	Subject
Prohibited goods :	Non-compliant goods
Counterfeited goods :	Prohibited
Exempted goods :	Personal belongings (according to local procedure)
Minimum value subject to the program:	-

3. Technical requirements

Conformity requirements:	<p>Compliance of goods with the applicable standards in force* shall be demonstrated through conformity documents issued by accredited entities, in-house laboratories of certified manufacturers and/or testing.</p> <p>*The applicable standards are the Particular Technical Regulations and other regulations adopted by Order of the MICEVN in accordance with Article 9 of Law No. 24-09 and the Technical Specifications relating to the required safety characteristics of a product. Regulatory details on the site of the Ministry: http://www.mcinet.gov.ma/fr/content/surveillance-du-march%C3%A9</p>
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National deviations:	<i>Electrical products: Plug and socket in accordance with NM 06.6.090 (type C / E), rated voltage: 220V, frequency 50 Hz.</i>
Marking:	<i>Markings and instructions in Arabic, Marking CeMim  compulsory on electrical products and toys, pursuant to orders no.-2573-14 (electrical safety), 2574-14 (Electromagnetic Compatibility), 2575-14 (safety of toys) and 3228-13 (marking).</i>
Other specific requirements :	<i>Mandatory Declaration of Conformity and technical file for electrical products and toys pursuant to orders no. 2573-14, 2574-14, 2575-14 et 3228-13.</i>

4. Application (verification in the countries of export)

Applicant :	<i>Exporter for verification in exporting countries.</i>
Application name:	<i>Request for Certificate (RFC)</i>
Required documents:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Final invoice (pro forma invoice is acceptable for the application),</i> • <i>Conformity documents (test reports, product certifications, analysis reports, Certification of the Quality Management System provided by exporters, in accordance with the technical requirements,</i> • <i>Packing list.</i>
Required Information:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Customs codes (HS) according to the Moroccan Gazette</i> • <i>FOB value</i> • <i>Import Licence Number, Unique Goods Declaration (“DUM”)</i>
Application office(s):	<i>Bureau Veritas offices (See contact list on Verigates: https://verigates.bureauveritas.com)</i>

5. Testing

Applicable cases:	<i>Within the framework of the control on the Moroccan territory or the verification in the countries of export when the conformity documents are not available or not satisfactory</i>
Laboratory criteria:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Laboratory approved by the MICEVN in application of Law 24-09 for tests and analyses carried out within the framework of a Conformity Assessment on Moroccan territory, or,</i> • <i>ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory for tests and analyses carried out as part of a Conformity Assessment in the country of export.</i>
Testing :	<i>According to the requirements of applicable Technical Regulations</i>

6. Physical inspection

Scope of inspection:	<i>Visual inspection: verification of quantity, review of markings in accordance with applicable standards and identification of products available for shipping. Requires the off-loading of the goods within the framework of the control on the Moroccan territory.</i>
Destination inspection:	<i>For products subject to the control at Moroccan Borders as mentioned on the products list</i>
Witness of loading :	<i>Not required</i>
Sealing of container:	<i>Not required</i>
Sampling:	<i>In case of testing (see section 5 above)</i>
Type de report issued:	<i>Inspection report (IR)</i>

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7. Facilitation Procedures

For the verification in countries of export :

- Registration
- Licensing

Transitory period until 20th April 2020 - date of arrival in Morocco

8. Conclusion of the Assessment

- Certificate of Conformity (CoC)
- Non-Conformity Report (NCR)

9. Fees*

- Paid by the Importer :

	Unit price in MAD without taxes
Control on the Moroccan territory or Validation of each CoC issued outside Morocco	350

- Paid by the exporter for verification in the countries of export:

	Fees as a percentage of the FOB value of the consignment	
Route A	0.45%	Within the limit of USD 315 minimum and USD 2500 maximum
Route B	0.40%	Within the limit of USD 300 minimum and USD 2500 maximum
Route C	0.25%	Within the limit of USD 280 minimum and USD 2400 maximum

* Fees are exclusive of tax and cover the costs of documentary verification, inspection (if applicable) and the conclusion of the assessment (CoC or NCR for verification in countries of export). These fees do not include:

- Testing: to be quoted on a case-by-case basis
- Reinspection in case of unsuccessful inspection or if the inspection duration is extended beyond 4 hours
- Costs incurred by the exporter when presenting the goods for inspection and/or testing
- Supervision of loading and sealing of containers
- Audits
- Industrial technical inspections
- Other expenses not mentioned above

10. Contact

See contact list for verification in the countries of export.

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11. Other information

See <https://verigates.bureauveritas.com>

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